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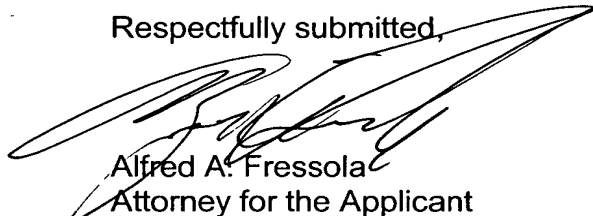
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Enclosed is a copy of an International Search Report dated November 19, 2003 issued in International Patent Application No. PCT/IB03/01262 (filed on April 07, 2003), from which the present application claims priority. The relevance of each reference is specifically explained in the Search Report.

Further, enclosed is a Form PTO-1449 listing the cited references. A copy of the cited German reference is also enclosed herewith (pursuant to the waiver of the USPTO requirement to submit copies of U.S. patent references). The abstract of the reference provides a concise explanation thereof.

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